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Title:

CONGRUENT STATE CHANGEABLE OPTICAL MEMORY

MATERIAL AND DEVICE

## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

Hon. Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

ATTENTION: BOX NON-FEE AMENDS (PATS)

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action of August 9, 1991, a reply thereto due on or before November 9, 1991.

Kindly amend the subject patent application as follows.

## In the Claims:

1. (Amended) A state changeable memory alloy changeable [capable of changing from a first state to a second state in response to the input of energy, said alloy having a first detectable characteristic when in said first state and a second detectable characteristic when in said second state, and said first and second detectable characteristics

